

VIOLATION LETTER
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MINISTRY OF MINES
INDIAN BUREAU OF MINES
Office of the Regional Controller of Mines

File No. AP/KSN/Lst-20/Hyd

Room No.603, 6th Floor,
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Hyderabad - 500 080.
Date: 4/5/2017

To:

Shri B S P RAJU, Agent
Jayantipuram Limestone Mine (South Band)
M/s Ramco Cements Limited
Kumarasamy Nagar- 521 457
Jaggayyapet (Mandal), Krishna (Dist)
Andhra Pradesh

Sub: Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 1988 in respect of your Jayantipuram Limestone Mine (South Band) over an extent of 88.35 ha situated in Jayantipuram village Jaggayyapet (Mandal) in Krishna district of Andhra Pradesh state.

Sir,

The following provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules 1988 (MCDR, 1988), were found violated in your above mine during the inspection of the mine on 22.04.2017 by the undersigned and accompanied by Sri B S P Raju, Agent, Sri P Jani Reddy, Mines Manager, Sri P S Murthy, Geologist, of your mine.

| Rule no. | Rule position | Nature of violation |
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| 11(1) | No holder of a mining lease shall commence or carry out mining operations in any area except in accordance with the mining plan approved, modified or reviewed by the Indian Bureau of Mines or prepared and certified in accordance with the system established by the State Government pursuant to the proviso to clause (b) of sub-section (2) of section 5 | Mining operations are not carried out in accordance with the proposals given in approved Scheme of Mining vide letter no. AP/KSN/MP/Lst-31/Hyd dated 01.03.2016 to the extent indicated below: i. It was approved to carryout exploration by 04 no. of core bore holes for the year 2016-17; against which no exploration was carried out. |
| 37(5) | Wherever back-filling of waste rock in the area excavated during mining operations is not feasible, the waste dumps shall be suitably terraced and stabilized through vegetation or otherwise. | Dead waste dump lying on North-Eastern side of the lease area has not been stabilized by vegetation or by other means. |
| 45(7) | If it is found that the holder of a mining lease or the person or company engaged in trading or storage or end-use or export of minerals, as the case may be, has submitted incomplete or wrong or false information in daily or monthly or annual returns or fails to submit a return within the date specified | On scrutiny of Monthly returns submitted to this office for the year 2016-17, the following discrepancy was observed 1. Refer Part-I, item no.5, employment of contractual persons is furnished as Nil, whereas during field inspection |

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| | | it was observed that about 20 no. of contractual persons are employed in the mine |
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02. Further, please refer this office letters dated 16.11.2016, 16.01.2017 and 24.03.2017, wherein the violation of rule 37(2) of MCDR, 2017 (rule 33(2) of MCDR,1988), is still exist in your mine.
03. In this connection, it is brought to your notice that the above violation constitutes an offence punishable under rule 62 of MCDR, 2017, further the mining operations can be suspended under rule 11(2) and initiate action as per rule 47(a) of MCDR, 2017, if compliance of rules 11(1) and 45(5) is not found satisfactory.
04. You are advised to rectify the above violations immediately and intimate the position to this office within 45 (forty-five) days from the date of issue of this letter.

Yours faithfully,

(IBRAHIM SHARIEF)
Sr. Assistant Controller of Mines

Not on the original:

- 1 The Controller of Mines (SZ), Indian Bureau of Mines, Bangaluru for kind information.
- 2 The Director of Mines & Geology, Government of Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada.
- 3 The Assistant Director of Mines & Geology, Government of Andhra Pradesh, Opp: IBP Petrol Bunk line, Nandigama, Krishna-Dist, A.P-521 185

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